

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) BB1037-F
In re Application of Saverio Carl Falco		
Application Number 09/049,304	Filed March 27, 1998	
For Chimeric Genes and Methods for Increasing the Lysine Content of the Seeds of Plants		
Group Art Unit 1638	Examiner E. F. McElwain	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$
 - Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$400.00
 - Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$
 - Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$
 - Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____.
- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1928.
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor.

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- attorney or agent of record.
- attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____

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Dec. 17, 2002
Date

Lynne M. Christenbury
Signature

Lynne M. Christenbury
Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.

*Total of 1 forms are submitted.